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SUBJ: STOCK POSITION COMMODITIES FOR MAURITANIA

REF: NOUAKCHOTT 1010

1. AS OF AUGUST 7TH US COMMODITIES IN DAKAR SCHEDULED FOR MAURITANIA TOTAL: 4,802 MTS. SOCOPAO WISHES TO SHIP 1,605 MTS SORGHUM WHICH IS BALANCE DENEbola, THE REMAINING 3,202 MTS THEY WILL PLACE IN COVERED WAREHOUSE. BALANCE COMPOSED OF SORGHUM GRITS, CSB, PLUS 761 MTS SORGHUM FROM POTOMAC. THEY HAVE BEEN FORWARDING ABOUT 1,000 MTS PER WEEK TO ROSSO BUT REFTEL REQUESTS DAKAR SLOW DOWN ON SHIPMENTS AND WE HAVE ADVISED SOCOPAO.

2. PLEASE WARN MINISTER OF HEALTH THAT OTHER DONORS HAVE LARGE SHIPMENTS DUE DAKAR NEAR FUTURE. SOCOPAO ADVISED TODAY THESE SHIPMENTS WILL BE ARRIVING ROSSO AND WE WOULD LIKE TO AVOID BOTTLENECKS AS WE HAD LAST MONTH.

3. DESPITE NEW ROSSO CEMENT PLATFORM, ARE TARPS AND PALLETS GOING TO BE AVAILABLE? RE, PARA 7 REFTEL
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THE FORTY TARPS DUE FROM HERE WILL BE FORWARDED END

OF WEEK.

4. FYI SUN VICTOR IS DUE ABOUT 15TH AUG. WITH 5,500
MTS SORGHUM FROM ARGENTINA AND THE FIDELITY DUE END
AUG. WITH ANOTHER 5,000 MTS ARGENTINA SORGHUM,
FINANCED BY OSRO. IN ADDITION CANADA HAS 6,000 MTS
OF WHEAT DUE DAKAR END OF AUGUST FOR SHIPPING ROSSO.
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